# **FISCAL NOTE**

# **HB 4063**

March 27, 2006

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes a litigation tax of no more than \$25 for all civil and criminal cases in Dyer County.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

## Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Exceeds \$80,000 / Permissive

## Assumptions:

- Current litigation tax is \$10, except for counties specifically identified in T.C.A. 67-4-601(5), which are authorized to levy a litigation tax of \$25.
- Enactment of this bill would add Dyer County to the list of counties authorized to charge an additional \$15 litigation tax on any civil or criminal case.
- The total number of cases that Dyer County hears each year is estimated to be 5,500.
- The increase to local governments (Dyer County) is estimated to exceed \$80,000 (5,500 cases X \$15 = \$82,500).

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director